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1. 7 October 1949

The Brueckenkopf Kaserne in WITTENBERG (N 52/E 37) was occupied by about five hundred Soviet Air Force soldiers.

The airfield was not occupied.

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2. The air force headquarters was still quartered in houses on Thaelmannstrasse.

3. 21 October 1949

An estimated six hundred troops were quartered in the Brueckenkopf-Kaserne.

Kaserne:

About 30 more trucks were parked in the kaserne yard. Five U-2 biplanes were counted at the field but there was no flying.

4. No changes were observed at the quartering buildings of the air force headquarters.

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Comment:

The information on the occupation of the Brueckenkopf Kaserne, the quarters on Thaelmann Strasse and the airfield,

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indicate that the occupation of WITTEMBERG apparently has not changed in recent months. WITTEMBERG is assumed to still be occupied by the Hq of the I Gds Ftr Corps, the Hq of an ATD and a transport unit of the I Gds Ftr Corps.

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